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## INDIA'S VENOMOUS SNAKES.

Stings for Which no Cure is Known.  
Unless it be by Jugglers-The Rapidity  
With Which Cobra's Venom is Dif-  
fused in the Blood.

From the New York Sun.

"We have in India," said a gentleman, much of whose early life was passed in Hindostan, "snakes that are more venomous than are to be found in the Western hemisphere, or even in Africa. The most deadly serpent in this country is, I suppose, the rattlesnake, but hundreds of persons have been bitten by it, and have recovered. For the bite of the cobra in full vigor, however, there is no known cure. Immediately after the rainy season the cobras are in his worst form. He lies dormant while torrents of rain are deluging the earth, rarely coming out of the deep hole in which he finds shelter, and all that time the poison is accumulating, until the bag at the root of the hollow fang is filled to bursting. The cobra has but one poisonous fang, and when he is undisturbed and not angry this lies flat on the jaw. But the moment an enemy appears the aspect of the cobra changes. He assumes an almost perpendicular position, which is the only one from which he can strike. His tail is thrown into the form of a ring.

AND ON THIS HE STANDS ERECT.

His head is bent forward, and he makes a figure like that of an old-fashioned walking stick with a crook for a handle. A fleshy hood rises along the back of the neck, and expands into a fanlike shape behind the head, while around his fashing little eyes appear bright yellow rings, looking like spectacles. Seen thus, his tongue darting out and in, he is about as repugnant a creature as exists. When in a position for striking he can spring probably about ten feet; but he is easily killed. He never runs away, and though he will not move toward an enemy to get within springing distance, if the intruder approaches him he does not retreat, and it is only necessary to stand about twenty feet away and hurl a stick at him. A slight blow will break his back, and he is then powerless. Probably the greatest experimenter upon snakes that ever lived was Dr. Fayer of Calcutta. He was particularly interested in the discovery of a cure for the bite of a cobra, for the number of lives lost by this cause every year in India is incredible. After years of careful study, and after he had exhausted recipes sent to him from all parts of the world, he declared that

NO KNOWN REMEDY FOR THE BITE,

and that a man impregnated with the poison of a vigorous cobra must die. In the course of his experiments he made a singular discovery, that the poison of one cobra could not kill another. A large cobra would destroy a smaller one, but only by lacerating it with its teeth, not by means of its venom. The chief food of the cobra is the frog. After the rainy season these creatures fill the air with a loud, steady croaking all night. Occasionally, however, a shrill shriek is heard above the ordinary noise, and the practiced ear discerns the cry of the unfortunate frog when a snake has seized it. Early one morning, by the roadside, I found a cobra in the act of making his meal. He was slowly sucking the frog down his throat, tail first. I killed the snake, and released the frog, but for a long time he lay unable to move. Its eyes were bright, and its head was lively enough, but the rear part of its body seemed to be paralyzed; the hind legs, which had been down the snake's throat, were helpless. Finally it contrived to drag itself away into the long grass.

Formerly the Government gave a rupee for every dead cobra delivered to its agents, but I think this custom has been abandoned, for it was discovered that breeding yards had been established in various parts of the country, and numerous natives were making a comfortable living by rearing young snakes."

Rule of the British Iron Trade.

The north of England to-day is strewn with wrecks. In June an auction sale took place at Gunnergate Hall, Yorkshire, the magnificent residence of Mr. Vaughan, which was furnished in a style of fabulous splendor. His father made a vast fortune out of iron, and the collapse of that industry has ruined the son. The present is a fine time for persons having money to invest in the English manufacturing districts, where houses can be purchased, with their contents, for less than the bare frame cost. Probably there never has been such a change from affluence to penury since the West Indian Emancipation act. During the cotton trouble, while the working classes suffered heavily, to the manufacturer the trouble was only temporary; but in the case of these iron people, the prevalent feeling is that the trade is gone.

Salmon in Utah.

From a Utah Exchange.  
The salmon have come! A glorious harvest has suddenly come upon this whole Salmon river country. We are all salmon eaters now. Everybody will get fat. The streams are full of fish weighing from twenty to fifty pounds. The bears are coming down out of the mountains to enjoy the harvest with us, and the fall crop of bear's oil promises to be a good one.

## A Coney Island Sketch.

From the New York Sun.

At the Brighton there was a father in the surf with three of his offspring, all under five years of age. The mother stood on the edge of the beach to watch. The father was young, and seemed to regard his children with great love and kindness. All the young ones had on night gowns, and their yellow hair in each case was done up in a funny little knot. It was the wish of the father to submit the entire person of each of his offspring to the salt water, but it was plain that the offspring themselves had no notion or desire of this. They wished simply to paddle in the cool water with their feet, and to climb up their parent whenever they saw a big wave coming. The father, however, plainly felt that this was not the purpose for which he had taken them into the water, and, accordingly, with some trouble he gathered two of the small persons within the crook of his left arm, while with his right he deftly and quickly, with a lateral movement, submerged the third. This seemed to please the first two, while it nearly strangled the others; but the triumph of the dry offsprings was short lived. When the third was on her hysterical way to her mother, it became an easy matter to separate the other two and simultaneously to seize them so that no dry spot was left on their diminutive persons. That finished the work of the father. He had only to administer the medicine, and he plunged in for a swim on his own account, while the mother, with wheeling words, endeavored to make the young ones forget the bitterness of the dose.

A Meteor Goes a Fishing.

From the Chemung Telegraph.

On Sunday night, July 27, at Chango Lake, a strange sight was witnessed. The clock had just struck twelve when the sky, which had been overcast the whole evening by dark murky clouds, suddenly opened and an immense ball of fire shot with lightning rapidly directly into the lake with a great splash, causing a large column of water to rise a long distance in the air. The effect was so great that all the visitors were aroused from their slumbers, and several declared they had felt the shock of an earthquake. In the morning hundreds of dead fish were found on the shore.

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### THE EUREKA RIOT.

For some time past trouble has been apprehended from the coal burners of Eureka. The base ore of the district require smelting for their reduction, and the furnaces consume a large quantity of charcoal, which is the principal item of expense. The cost of working has been so great that, coupled with the diminished and poorer quality of ore, the mining companies recently announced that if the price of coal was not lowered they would have to send their ore to San Francisco for reduction. The present situation of affairs is explained by a *Democrat*, in another column. That the trouble is serious is shown by the following appeal to the Governor for aid, received at Carson yesterday afternoon:

**EUREKA, Aug. 11.—To His Excellency John H. Kinkead, Governor of the State of Nevada:** We respectfully represent to your Excellency that a large body of the residents of Eureka county, Nevada, known as the Coal Burners' Association, numbering about two thousand persons, are now banded together, and with arms in their possession are defying the civil authorities and refusing to allow any of their number to be arrested. They now hold forcible possession of many coal pits in the county, by force have prevented and are now preventing the owners of charcoal from hauling it to the furnaces, and are threatening to destroy other property and to burn the town. Warrants have been issued for the arrest of parties and the arrest has been resisted by the rioters, who are organized under the command of desperate leaders. We therefore respectfully ask your Excellency to order the military of the Second Brigade into active service to quell such insurrection, and we ask for immediate action herein.

B. J. TURNER,  
Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners.

MATTHEW KYLE,  
Sheriff of Eureka County, Nevada.

In response, the Governor sent the following order:

**Brigadier General George M. Sabin, Commanding Second Brigade N. S. M., Eureka, Nevada—Sir:** The Sheriff and Chairman of the Board of County Commissioners of Eureka county have telegraphed me that the county authorities are unable to repress a riot in Eureka county and to enforce the laws. If their statement is warranted by the facts of the case, you will call into active service all the force of your brigade necessary to aid the law officers in the proper execution of the laws and for the protection of citizens and their property. Report to me promptly your action and the condition of affairs.

**JOHN H. KINKEAD,**  
Governor and Commander-in-Chief.  
The disturbance created by the rioters we hope will be promptly suppressed. The coal burners, strong in numbers and in organization, are disposed to carry matters with a high hand. Not content with controlling their own labor, they have interfered with the liberty of their men, and with the sacred rights of property. It is a movement that should be stamped out, and the ready action of the Governor deserves commendation.

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

What a delightful degree of freedom the Kansas editor enjoys. Col. O. T. Porter is owner of both the Harrisburg *Nucleus* and the Junction City *Republican*. Not long ago he felt that he needed a rest, so he notified his readers of his intention to go into the mountains, announced that he would probably be back in a month, then closed up both offices and off he went.

Budd Dobie, the famous driver, has retired from the turf.

Now Pinafore "hardly ever" is racing now in Bodie.

### TRouble AT EUREKA.

**Strike of the Coal-Burners—The Militia Ordered Out.**

(Special to the Enterprise.)

**EUREKA, Aug. 11.—The Coal-burners Association are on the war-path. They number about 2000, and are mostly Italians. They are making charcoal for the furnaces about thirty miles north of Eureka. Lately a strike was organized by the burners for 30 cents a bushel, and the furnaces were unwilling to pay more than 26 1/2 cents. The burners finally became defiant, and interposed with violence to prevent the teams from the furnaces loading. The sacks of coal were snatched and the teams ordered back to town. The burners proved too strong for the Sheriff's posse to-day, and the authorities telegraphed to the Governor to call out the militia of this division. The Governor has just answered, directing the three companies here to go to the front of the town, will have a special train to-night. Furthermore, the militia will be called as fast as they are wanted.**

### CONDENSED TELEGRAMS.

A young man died at New York yesterday of yellow fever contracted at quarantine.

There were ninety-three deaths from yellow fever at Havana last week; a decrease of forty from the previous week.

A New York telegram says: The immigrants arriving here during the year ending July 31, 1869, were 103,245; the previous year the arrivals were 74,189.

Three showmen, who claim that P. T. Barnum broke them down by sinister means when they ran a show a year ago, began a suit against him for \$300,000 damages in Chicago yesterday.

Yesterday Lawrence and Charles Castle, brothers, took a small boat at Marshall Station, and went out upon Tomales Bay for a fishing and pleasure sail. The boat swamped and both were drowned.

A Tribune's Washington special says: The Department of Agriculture will publish, in connection with its forthcoming report, information received from every county in the Union, regarding the rate of wages paid to farm laborers and cost of living.

Barry Byrne, aged 16, and Joseph Ingram, aged 17, left their homes in Westfield, N. J., yesterday for Leadville, with 100 pounds of shot, a keg of powder, several rifles and revolvers and \$200 in money, to scalp the Indians and slaughter the buffalo.

A Galveston special says: At noon, yesterday, Ben Coleman (white), who was intoxicated, rode up to a wagon driven by Jose Costello, a Mexican, and ordered the latter to dismount. Upon his refusal to do so, Coleman drew a revolver and shot him dead.

A St. Louis dispatch of Sunday says: The six days go-as-you-please walking match, which has been in progress at St. George's Hall here, the past week, terminated at 11 o'clock to-night with the following result: Hibbs, 368 miles; Miller, 350; Castillo, 345 and 17 laps; Speidel, 307; Gilch, 295; Cummings, 180; Rockworth, 184.

E. J. Baldwin, better known as "Lucky Baldwin," was arrested yesterday at his Santa Anita ranche, near Los Angeles, Cal., and his distillery, warehouses and wine vaults seized by the United States Marshal, on a charge of defrauding the revenues by filling stamped packages of brandy. Baldwin was taken to Los Angeles, and will have a preliminary examination to-morrow.

A Rockwall (Texas) dispatch says: There are reports from Titus county to the effect that Jeff Hopkins outraged a white woman, then murdered her and her infant, and set fire to the house to conceal the crime. The charred skeletons of the woman and child were found in the ruins. Four buckshot were found in the woman's backbone.

A New York telegram says the police yesterday, while watching the penitentiary guard-boat, saw the crew of two convicts leap overboard, and being strong swimmers escaped. Soon after the police discovered the keeper hopelessly drunk in the bottom of the boat. Later the police saw the guard-boat overturned, and putting out into the river captured the crew, who were endeavoring to escape by swimming. They also rescued the keeper who, though drunk, was clinging to the bottom of the boat.

### STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

The Record states that the crops about Panaca are looking well.

Since the Panacs got the balls and bats they do nothing but play ball; and the Pioche Record was informed by a gentleman who has been spending a week at Panaca that the boys of that settlement have become excellent players.

The ranchers are now getting plenty of rain says the Record, it having been raining off and on for the past week in all the different valleys surrounding Pioche, giving much satisfaction to stock owners and others. A very nice little rain and hail storm visited Pioche Tuesday afternoon, but on Wednesday we had a glorious rain.

About four o'clock on Sunday afternoon Carson was thrown into commotion by the blowing of locomotive whistles, and soon the fire bell rang out an alarm. The fire was found to be in the barn belonging to Mrs. Fife, situated in the northwestern part of town. The fire boys were quickly on hand and they soon quenched the flames. The fire is supposed to have been caused by boys playing with matches about the premises.

Landing members of the Pioche tribe have issued an order for a big fandango to be held at this place next week, says the Winnemucca Silver State. Couriers have been sent to Wadsworth, Reno, Carson and Virginia in western Nevada, to Stillwater in Churchill county, to Austin in Lander county, to McDermitt and other points in northern Nevada. The Shoshones have been invited to meet with the Piutes and state their grievances and their reasons for ordering the Piutes to leave Austin. The fan-dango and council will be held on the Humboldt bottom, below town.

Sunday afternoon, says the Carson Tribune, shortly after five o'clock, as the Reno train draw up at the Carson depot, General Batterman's team, which was standing near by, took fright and started off at a break-neck speed. The General, who was on the ground at the time, grabbed the lines, but was thrown headlong in the dust, and did not succeed in checking the runaways. The team brought up at the state prison, without injury to anything but the vehicle attached, the pole of which was broken. The General was not hurt by his fall.

The elastic valve of an engine between the Sacramento and Yerba Buena, will burst, will have to be repaired by special train to-night. Furthermore, the engine will be required as fast as they trans-

### PACIFIC COAST ITEMS.

Nine large new buildings are going up in Mammoth City.

The young men of Nevada City have formed a new fire company.

An insane Swede killed himself at Astoria on the 7th by hanging.

The new bathhouse of J. R. Weston, at Santa Cruz, was burned on the 10th. Insured.

Emigrants are flocking into the city every day, and many of them are locating in Idaho.

The State Agricultural Society at Sacramento has put up a \$1500 purse for a trotting match, free for all.

Fish Commissioner B. B. Redding writes to the Mammoth City Herald that that the Commissioners will stock the lakes in Lake District with McCloud River trout next year.

The stage leaving Phenix, Arizona, on the 8th, bound south, was robbed three miles from town by one man. The express box only was taken. This is the fourth robbery in the same place in four months.

Thomas Wendell, editor and proprietor of the Vallejo Chronicle, died in that city on the 9th, of Bright's disease. He was aged thirty-two, unmarried, and had been connected with the paper for eight years.

Heavy rains in the desert east of Yerba Buena caused the ditching of the Southern Pacific train a few days ago, killing several Indians, and injuring the engineer and fireman. The train derailed at Los Angeles on the 9th, colliding with the east-bound train on the Colorado desert on the same day. No details.

The hoisting works of the Yuba Gravel Mining Co., situated a short distance below Timbuctoo, on the Main Yuba, were destroyed by fire on Thursday night last. The fire originated by the burning of the woods and brush close by. Everything was done to try and check the raging element, but the building could not be saved. Some of the utensils were taken out and saved, but the loss will be about \$5000. The Union could not learn that there was any insurance on the works. Most of the stock of the company was owned by Grass Valley people.

A Wall to Steamboat.

From the Virginia Stage.

Last Saturday Grant Israel and Ned Norton, having a touch of the pedestrian fever, bet Frank Lewis \$20 that they would walk to Steamboat Springs. About 1 o'clock in the afternoon, when the sun was hotter than blue blazes, they struck out, and nothing further was heard of them until this morning, when the express train arrived. Hoping to get a good meal out of their Steamboat pilgrimage, a Stage reporter hopped on to Grant Israel as the latter hopped off the car, and asked him whether they had really walked to the Springs. With a peculiar chuckle, Grant replied: "Well, I should say we didn't. We had a hard game of it getting to the brewery on the Geiger Grade. Norton began to weaken before we got off C street, but I braced him up by telling him what a treat there was in store for us, and finally we reached the brewery, where we remained until evening, when, as luck would have it, an empty hay wagon came along and we got aboard, making Steamboat about 9 o'clock at night."

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pounds extra, and any filly that has won two  
races eight pounds extra; any filly that has  
won three races ten pounds extra. Second

dash to same entries.

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ond, \$20 to third; heats of a mile, free for all.

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